

RYDE ASSOCIATION.

This Association played its fourth round on Saturday. Results were as follows:—

A Grade.

Hornsby 8 v Concord Red 0.
Gladesville 3 v West Ryde 3.
Carlingford 6 v Concord Blue 0.
Ryde 9 v Roseville 1.

C Grade.

Gladesville 1 v Drummoyne 1.
Hornsby 1 v Concord 0.
West Ryde 4 v Ryde 0.
There were no surprises in the A Grade, although Gladesville did well to hold West Ryde down to a 3-all draw.

West Ryde's defeat of Ryde in the C Grade was somewhat of a shock. The Ryde boys did well until twenty minutes from time, after which they fell to pieces.

Drummoyne are improving as evidenced by their draw with Gladesville.

All matches in this district will be suspended on Saturday owing to the rep. match Ryde District v Canterbury District. The following have been selected to represent the locals:—Goal, T. Williamson (Carlingford); backs, T. Glen (Ryde), V. Wright (West Ryde); halves, A. Fowler (West Ryde), Hansaker (Concord Blue); A. Taylor (Hornsby); forwards, G. Rose (Carlingford), A. Cook (Hornsby), W. Bellamy (Carlingford, Captain), A. McAlpine (Hornsby), J. Watkin (Hornsby). Reserves: Crawford (Concord), Bevan (Carlingford), Davidsor (Concord Blues), and Martin (Carlingford).

The competition tables are as follows:—

A GRADE

	P	W	L	D	F	A	Pts
Carlingford	4	4	0	0	15	2	8
Hornsby	4	2	1	1	17	5	5
Gladesville	4	2	1	1	20	7	5
Ryde	4	2	1	1	15	8	5
Concord Blue	4	2	2	0	11	10	4
West Ryde	4	1	2	1	10	13	3
Concord Red	4	1	3	0	7	16	2
Roseville	4	0	4	0	2	34	0

In this table Roseville shows very badly, but this is entirely owing to their

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Ryde colors will be Dark Blue. Before the big match a game will be played by Probable v Possible. This game will start at 1.45, and all players must report to the Association Secretary by 1.30 sharp, or their places will be filled by reserves. The teams are as follows:—

Possibles.—Goal, C. Crunkhorn (Hornsby); R.B., J. Knox (Carlingford, Vice-Capt.); L.B., J. Tact (Concord Red); R.H., V. Vansine (Hornsby); C.H., W. Berchholt (Hornsby Captain); L.H., D. Hayward (Concord Blue); O.R., Hutchings (Roseville); I.R., S. Kelly (West Ryde); C., W. H. Watts (Carlingford); I.L., F. Shield (Carlingford); O.L., T. Cocks (West Ryde). Reserves:—R. Owen (Concord Blue), S. Turner (Gladesville).

Probables.—J. Farrell (Concord B, Capt.), W. Lutherburrow (Carlingford), D. Laidlaw (Gladesville), C. Bellamy (Carlingford), W. Boardman (Ryde), Cox (Concord Blue), T. F. Long (Hornsby), C. Trafford (Ryde, Vice-Capt.), A. Hopper (Concord B), T. Handsaker (Concord B), C. Kello (Carlingford). Reserves: A. Muhr (West Ryde), F. Trevathan (Gladesville). Referee: Mr. Shaw.

Players of all three teams are asked to remain on the ground after the match as the team to meet the Metropolitan District on Monday, the 9th inst., will then be selected.

West Ryde	4	3	1	0	8	1	6
Gladesville	3	2	0	1	4	2	5
Ryde	3	2	1	0	14	5	4
Drummoyne	4	1	2	1	2	8	3
Hornsby	4	1	3	0	2	13	2
Concord	2	0	2	0	0	2	0

N.B.—Ryde and Gladesville have each a deferred match against Concord.

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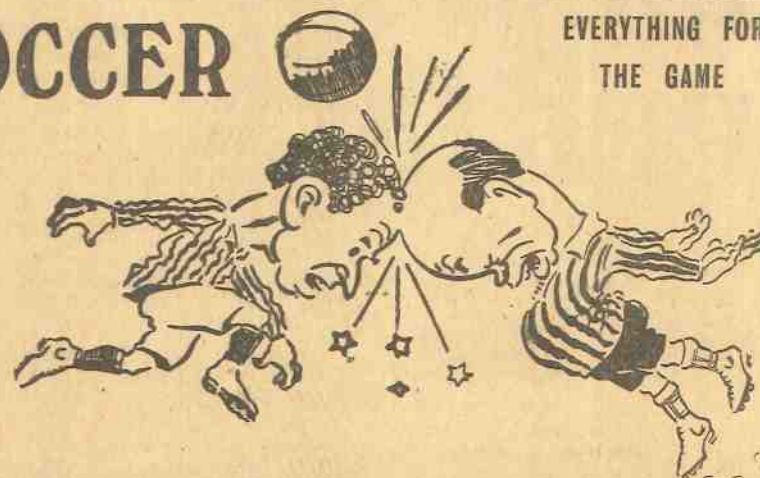
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NEW SECRETARY M.S.F.A.

At the Council meeting of the M.S.F.A., held on Monday last, at the Sports Club, Sydney, it was decided to declare vacant the office of Hon. Secretary of the Association, and later Mr. S. Stack was elected unanimously to the position. Mr. F. C. Packer was elected Hon. Treasurer in place of Mr. Stack, and Mr. S. Howard was elected to the vacancy on the Management Committee.

AN ANNOUNCEMENT.

Mr. S. Stack, Hon. Sec. of the M.S.F.A., is available by telephone (L 1918) between the hours of 9 a.m. and 5 p.m. Monday to Friday (inclusive). All correspondence for the Metropolitan Association should be addressed to the Sports Club, Sydney.

Arrangements are nearly complete for the sending of a junior team to Queensland. The team will probably leave here on Wednesday, August 13th, and return on the following Tuesday, the 19th, having played at Brisbane (Saturday), and either again at Ipswich or Toowoomba on Monday, 18th August.

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DID YOU KNOW THAT

The second Test match will take place next Saturday, the 14th June, in Sydney.

The Association applied to the N.S.W. Rugby League for permission to use the Sydney Cricket Ground No. 1, offering in lieu the Royal Agricultural Show Ground.

The League refused to transfer and Soccerites are indignant. The Cricket Ground lease should be amended by legislative action to provide that international matches take precedence.

The Metropolitan Association have been treated very badly by the Wentworth Park trustees. It is quite on the cards that the trustees will make no move to roof the stand in the cheaper area, until after the close of the football season.

Soccer football is paying £700 for Wentworth Park this season; it is certainly not getting value for the money.

The balance sheet of the Wentworth Park trustees would make interesting reading. What is the revenue received in the summer season, and what money is allocated to keep the ground in order for the cricketers.

Leichhardt Oval and Sydney Cricket Ground No. 2 are nice little grounds, and appreciated by the players. They do not belong to the Association, however, and are only on a yearly tenure.

The time is arriving when the Association will have to assist clubs to buy grounds in the different areas. It must not be left to the enthusiasts to do the work and provide the money.

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Mayfield registered their first win of the season by defeating Neath by 2 goals to 1. Tolhurst, the ex-Merewether and Hamilton player, donned the jersey for Mayfield, and played a great game. The game was marred by an unfortunate accident to Drinkwater of Neath; he collided with Mayfield's full-back, Davidson, and fractured his leg; he was taken by the ambulance to Kurri Hospital. All Soccerites wish the injured player a speedy recovery.

KURRI v. WALLSEND.

Wallsend visited Kurri and repeated the performance of the first round by defeating Kurri 2 goals to 1. Davidson and Rees were the scorers for Wallsend, while Brown converted a penalty for Kurri.

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Mayfield registered their first win of the season by defeating Neath by 2 goals to 1. Tolhurst, the ex-Merewether and Hamilton player, donned the jersey for May-field, and played a great game. The game was marred by an unfortunate accident to Drinkwater of Neath; he collided with May-field's full-back, Davidson, and fractured his leg; he was taken by the ambulance to Kurri Hospital. All Soccerites wish the injured player a speedy recovery.

KURRI v. WALLSEND.

Wallsend visited Kurri and repeated the performance of the first round by defeating Kurri 2 goals to 1. Davidson and Rees were the scorers for Wallsend, while Brown converted a penalty for Kurri.

Cessnock defeated Neath II. in the Gardiner Cup, first round, by 7 goals to 1.

WEST WALLSEND v. ADAMS-TOWN.

This game on the former's ground drew a very large crowd. The gate being a record for the season. Adamstown were without A. Lambert, who is still nursing an injured ankle, and West Wall-

send who is resting his bad arm. Both players were present at the match. Adamstown started off very well and Coutts was called upon to defend his goal from G. Coates and J. Bush. Westy next had a turn, and L. Brown following up a punt towards goal by H. Muir, cut in smartly between the goalie, Elgy and Stewart, and netted. A couple of minutes after he again beat Elgy with a splendid shot. Elgy came in for applause for a wonderful save from Bunny Muir's good shot near the post. Sinclair shone out in a clever piece of work a little later; his shot was going into goal, when Stewart in trying to clear helped it into the net. West Wallsend 3 to nil. Adamstown were awarded a penalty against James, and Beddows taking the kick missed the goal by a couple of feet.

In the second half Adamstown tried hard to score, and E. Bush had a golden opportunity, but clean missed the ball with only J. Coutts to beat. Westy now held the upper hand, and Adamstown failed to add to their score.

For the winners, Jack Coutts was very safe, and cleared the attacks of Adamstown's forwards in first-class order.

Hen Maunnder was the star defender, and repeatedly broke up the attack. The half back line Coolahan, C. Coutts and W. Smith defended well, and also set the forward line going in many pretty movements. The forwards all played well, and combined as forwards should. Brown played his best game, and fed T. Coates remarkably well. Sinclair and Mc-Lauchlan on the left led Bailey in merry dance, and Di sent across some lovely centres. Bunny Muir at centre was having his first game in that posy, and did well.

Adamstown were at a distinct loss, being without Lambert, and the defence was disorganised. Elgy in goal had a lot of work to do, and did very well. His save from Muir's shot was brilliant. Stewart was not as good as usual. Beddows played well. Doyle played centre half and tried hard. He initiated many forward movements, but was not too sound in defence.

Harold Johns played left half and showed plainly that he is a forward, not a half back.

In the forward line G. Coates was the best, the others never

seemed to do anything right. T. Coates (Westy) and G. Coates (Adamstown) are cousins, and both play right wing. Another cousin, Jack Coates, plays right wing with West Wallsend, under 16's. Quite a family liking for the position.

West Wallsend Seniors are visiting Weston on June 9th, to play a benefit for the widow and family of the late W. (Bill) Lambert. Last season Adamstown gained 4 points from Westy in the two rounds of the senior comp. This season Westy have won both games. W. Kelly last season with West Wallsend under 18, took McNaughton's place in the Gardiner Cup match, Cessnock v Neath, at No. 2, at Weston, on Saturday. Nock Brennan and Lindsay Johnston, two of Westy's keen supporters, were present at the match on Saturday. Both were splendid left wings, and unfortunately each has lost a leg.

West Wallsend have appointed Ben Charlton and Jack Bainbridge trainers, and with these two good rubbers always available, no excuse can be given for players not fit.

Dick Sneddon, West Wallsend Senior's manager, has had a sad misfortune. His son, aged 3 years was kicked on the forehead today, Sunday, and has been admitted to hospital suffering from a fractured skull.

SENIOR FIXTURES FOR TODAY.

New Lambton v West Wallsend Referee, J. H. Sanderson.

Mayfield v Kurri. Referee, S. Smith.

Cessnock v Neath. Referee, B. Pratten.

Adamstown v Weston (Tramway Ground), Referee, W. Stott. Wallsend the bye.

RICHARDSON CUP.

Islington v West Wallsend, Tramway. Referee, C. Nix.

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Referee: Mr. W. Wright

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Reserves:

8—E. Whittaker 13—Hayton 12—Nixon

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T. Davidson

Goal:

Reserve:

F. Daniels W. Dyke

(Blue and Gold Halves)

BALMAIN FERNLEIGH

EARLY MATCH, 1.45 p.m.

ANNANDALE ALTONA v. LILYFIELD RANGERS

Referee: Mr. H. Battin.

Sydney Cricket Ground No. 2, 3.15.

AUBURN v. SYDNEY

Referee: Mr. A. W. Bates

AUBURN
(Black and White Halves)

Reserve:

W. Ashby W. Stevens

Goal:

L. Evans

1—O. Joass 2—T. Amos
3—C. O'Connor 4—J. Tranter 5—J. Picken
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4—L. Forrester
2—G. Smart 1—S. G. Montgomery

H. Greagg

Goal:

Reserves:

11—H. Graham 12—T. Bailey (Goalkeeper)

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Goal.

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St. Clements are following in the footsteps of our Canadian friends, and last Saturday registered their fourth successive draw. The match, against St. Aidans, was a rather tame exhibition. Lakemba Congs. A were unlucky to lose to the Mission, as was Ryde Meth. to St. Pauls, each team losing by the odd goal in three. Roberts Bros., Lidgard, and Watson were conspicuous in the former match, while Neilson, Naylor and Wilson were conspicuous at Hurlstone Park, under Ref. Scott. If Neilson puts more energy into his feet and less into his tongue, he will improve out of sight. Naylor well deserves his place against Granville to-day.

If Lakemba can reproduce last week's form to-day, St. Clements are liable to bite the dust. If St. Aidans give another exhibition of corner kicking to-day as they did last week, well, they should sell out.

Botany Meth. A were too good for Holy Trinity by 3-1. The same advice is given to Neilson of St. Pauls, applies to Trinity, only more so. The 2-all draw between Alex. Congs. and Dul. Hill was a very fair result.

Holy Trinity and Alex. Congs. under Ref. Rev. Smith, should be an interesting game. Holy Trinity will probably be short of a few players, but still the Congs. will need to move to win.

Thanks to Fivedock Meth. tossing Austens, All Souls are now leading their division. However, they themselves meet Austens on L'hardt Flat to-day, under Ref. Bydie, and it is quite on the cards that their possies may be reversed. A tie would appear to be the correct result. Croydon Congs. A and L'hardt Meth. provided a good fast game last week, an equitable result being obtained in

evenly matched, both Vines and Seddon notching goals. Alex. Mission B and Botany Meth. B will be about the best match to-day.

St. Bedes and Hurlstone Park Meth. played a good game till the interval, after which the Drum-moyne boys had it all their own way, to the tune of 4-1. Del-prads and Blankly did some good work.

Wardell Road.

Teams are informed that the dressing rooms are to be used, and that players changing in the open will in future be penalised.

Language.

Players are reminded that referees will not warn them for language, but will order straight off the field, when they must appear on the following Tuesday. The more players sent off, the heavier will the penalties become. Language in the dressing room is just as serious.

P.C.R.A.

Mr. E. Cornish, of 2 Robert St. St. Peters, is the latest recruit. Secretary Scott would remind members of the usual monthly meeting to be held at 30 Rawson Chambers, City, on Wednesday 11th inst., at 8 p.m. As the fees for May have been paid, it is suggested that some members should pay their subs.

First Grade.

St. Clements v Ryde Meth. A on No. 2, at 10.30 a.m.

Lakemba Congs. A v St. Aidans A (B) on 3, at 10.30 a.m.

Final.

A v B on No. 2, at 3.15 p.m.

Third Grade.

St. Bartholomews v Lakemba Congs. B (A) on No. 1, at 9 a.m.

St. Aidans B v H. Pk. Meth. (B) on No. 3, at 9 a.m.

Botany Meth. B v Newtown Congs. B (C) on No. 2, at 9 a.m.

St. Stephens N. v St. Silas (D) on No. 2, at 9.30 a.m.

St. Lukes v Croydon Congs. B (E) on No. 1, at 9.30 a.m.

St. Bedes the bye (F).

Second Round.

A v C (A) on No. 1, at 11 a.m.

D v E (B) on No. 2, at 11 a.m.

B v F (C) on No. 1, at 12 noon.

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All Saints v Croydon Congs. A (D), on No. 3, at 10 a.m.

Austens F.C. the bye (E).

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B v C (B), on No. 1, at 11.30 a.m.

E the bye (C).

Semi-Final.

A v C (A), on No. 3, at 12 noon

B the bye (B).

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THE SOCCER NEWS.

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Wardell Road.

Teams are informed that the dressing rooms are to be used, and that players changing in the pen will in future be penalised.

Language.

Players are reminded that referees will not warn them for language, but will order straight off the field, when they must appear on the following Tuesday. The more players sent off, the heavier will the penalties become. Language in the dressing room is just as serious.

P.C.R.A.

Mr. E. Cornish, of 2 Robert St. St. Peters, is the latest recruit. Secretary Scott would remind members of the usual monthly meeting to be held at 30 Rawson Chambers, City, on Wednesday 11th inst., at 8 p.m. As the fees for May have been paid, it is suggested that some members should pay their subs.

First Grade.

St. Clements v Ryde Meth. A. on No. 2, at 10.30 a.m.
Lakemba Congs. A v St. Aidans (B) on 3, at 10.30 a.m.

Final.

A v B on No. 2, at 3.15 p.m.

Third Grade.

St. Bartholomews v Lakemba Congs. B (A) on No. 1, at 9 a.m.
St. Aidans B v H. Pk. Meth. (B) on No. 3, at 9 a.m.
Botany Meth. B v Newtown Congs. B (C) on No. 2, at 9 a.m.
St. Stephens N. v St. Silas (D) on No. 2, at 9.30 a.m.
St. Lukes v Croydon Congs. B (E) on No. 1, at 9.30 a.m.
St. Bedes the bye (F).

Second Round.

A v C (A) on No. 1, at 11 a.m.
D v E (B) on No. 2, at 11 a.m.
B v F (C) on No. 1, at 12 noon

Semi-Final.

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B the bye (B).

Final.

A v B, on No. 3, at 2 p.m.

Second Grade.

Enmore Tabs v Newtown Congs. A (A) on No. 3, at 9.30 a.m.
Botany Meth. A v Fivedock Meth. (B) on No. 2, at 10 a.m.
Alex. Congs. v Holy Trinity (C), on No. 1, at 10 a.m.
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In the event of a player being required for rep. purposes, then a substitute to be allowed.

Five minutes' grace only to be allowed as to starting time.

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Shoes (spiked or otherwise) or boots may be worn.
Shorts to the knees must be worn.
Clubs' registered colors must be worn.
No grace to be allowed entrants as to time of commencing events.
Three tries shall be allowed for the high jump.
All protests to be lodged within five minutes of finish of event with O. in C. whose decision shall be final.
Only first and second in heats to compete in the final.

This makes the competition most interesting. Kogarah, Penshurst United and Arncliffe have 9 points each, and Penshurst United have not yet suffered defeat. Arncliffe heads the table in each grade.

A Grade Results.

Lancashire 5, Tempe Iona 2
Brighton 2, Cronulla 0, Rovers 2
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LEAGUE TABLE

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Penshurst United	6	3	0	3	19	5	9
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St. George	6	3	1	2	10	9	8
Hurstville	6	4	2	0	18	26	8
Rockdale	6	3	1	2	13	11	6
Cronulla	6	1	3	2	10	15	4
Penshurst	6	1	3	2	7	18	4
Lancashire	6	0	4	2	8	17	2
Brighton	6	0	5	1	7	31	1

A GRADE

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Tempe Park.	6	4	1	0	1	18	6	10
Kogarah	6	3	2	0	1	22	18	8
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Lancashire	6	2	3	1	1	14	8	7
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Carlton United	5	1	4	0	3	11	2	2
St. Clements	4	0	4	0	7	19	0	0

BENEFIT.

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A GRADE.

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ners played excellent football, and
were the better team practically
throughout the game. Good com-
bination was noticeable in the for-
ward line, but their shooting was
inclined to be weak in one or two
cases. Urquhart and Robinson,
as backs, were brilliant, and were
well protected by Mitchell, Crum
(centre half), and Colquhoun. On
the Park side, Martin and John-
son were very safe, and worked
hard through the game. Wilson
played well in goals. This win
places Lilyfield two points in the
lead.

B GRADE.

Leichhardt Juniors narrowly de-
feated Lilyfield at Canterbury by
one to nil. The winners had to
fight hard all the way in the
second session to prevent a draw,
as the losers continually bom-
barded their goals, and were ex-
tremely unlucky in not netting at
least a goal. Leichhardt's goal-
keeper played a good game, and
saved his side on many occasions.

St. Peters outclassed Bondi A
at Canal Ground, and as a result
still lead in the B Grade compe-
tition, with Leichhardt 1 point
behind. Newtown defeated the
"soap kings" by 2 to 1, after a
very good game, in which the
winners were fully extended
throughout the game. Sunlight
sadly need some shooting prac-
tice.

Banksmeadow, as to be expect-
ed after their previous game, de-
feated Bondi B by 8 to nil. This
is Banksmeadow's first win. This
competition is in a very interest-
ing stage.

C GRADE DIVISION 1.

Rozelle Waratah and Lilyfield
secured wins over Annandale.
Federals and Rozelle Fernleigh
respectively, and as a result both
teams are undefeated. Their
meeting on the 21st at No. 1
Canterbury will be an excellent
game, as both teams are playing
at the top of their form.

There were slight changes in
the positions of the division II.
and division III., the leading teams
again secured wins. Warren Iona
are going well in division II, and
Pymont are close on their heels.
Division III. is apparently a duel
between Punch Park and St. Pe-
ters.

The Metropolitan Senior Association are to be congratulated in giving the juniors an early fixture on one of their best grounds, and the honor of playing in front of their 1st grade teams. It is great encouragement for juniors, and hope to see the offer further extended during the season. The appointment and conveniences are first-class at Leichhardt Oval, and are a credit to the Association.

FIRST TEST.

Australia's Team.

Messrs. E. Lukeman, S. Storey and A. Morgan (the Australian selectors) have chosen the following team to represent Australia against Canada in the first Test at Brisbane to-day:—

Goalkeeper: G. Cartwright (Balmmain Gladstones).

Full-backs: F. Gallen (Bal. Gladstones), T. Oliver (Weston). Halves: White (Q.), A. Henderson (Granville), Nunn (Q.).

Forwards: Edwards (Q.), D. Ward (Balgownie), J. Masters (Balgownie), H. Sherringham (Sydney), F. Mellier-Smith (Sydney).

Reserves: Bryant (goals), Harris (full-back), Worrall (half) and T. Hainsworth and Robertsor (forwards), all of Queensland.

M.S.F.A. FIXTURES, JUNE 9th

1st Grade 1st Division.

Gladesville v Two Blues, Wentworth Pk. Oval, 1.45 p.m. (G. McLay).

Balmmain Gladstone v Granville, Wentworth Park Oval, 3.15 p.m. (J. Lester).

Auburn v Sydney, S.C.G. No. 2, 3.15 p.m. (A. W. Bates).

Pymont Rangers v Balmmain Fernleigh, Leichhardt Oval, 3.15 p.m. (W. Wright).

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1st Grade 2nd Division

Lachlan Rangers v Rangers Waterloo, 3.15 (A. White).

Balmmain Scottish v Pymont, Ibrox Park, 3.15 (D. Brown).

West Sydney v St. George, St. George, 3.15 (S. Boyd).

Canterbury v Leichhardt, Canterbury No. 1, 3.15 (C. R. Brown).

2nd Grade A Division.

Bankstown v Campsie, Banks town, 3.15 (C. Dallison).

A.G.L. Coy. v Gladesville, Ibrox Park, 1.45 (L. Patterson).

Annandale Altona v Lilyfield Rangers, Leichhardt, 1.45 (H. Batten).

Fire Brigade v Sunlight, Sunlight Sports Ground, 3.15 (S. Summers).

Rozelle Albions v West Sydney, 1.45 (W. Clarke).

Drummoyne v Pymont, Centennial Park, 1.45 (F. Hampton).

2nd Grade B Division.

South Sydney v E. Suburbs, Centennial Park, 3.15 (A. Pickering).

Manly v N. Suburbs, S.C.G., No. 2, 1.45 (Watts).

Garden Island v Callan Park, Callan Park, 2.15 (Gill).

Metters v Burns, Booralee, 1.45 (W. Blakely).

Alexandria v Botany Albions Waterloo, 1.45 (T. Leighton).

Sydney v Booralee Rovers, Booralee, 3.15 (A. Kerr).

RESULTS FOR SATURDAY, 31st MAY.

1st Grade 1st Division.

Granville beat Sydney 5—2.

Gladstones beat Fernleigh 2—0.

Auburn beat Gladesville 2—1.

Two Blues drew with Rangers 2—2.

2nd Grade.

Fire Brigades beat A.G.L. by 2—0.

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Callan Park beat Booralee Rovers 5—1.

Botany Albions beat Burns Club 12—1.

Campsie Thistle received forfeit from Rozelle Albions.

Bankstown v Annandale Altona deferred.

South Sydney v Garden Island deferred.

STATE CHAMPIONSHIP. (Gardiner Cup.)

Qualifying Round.

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Babcocks have arranged to visit Goulburn and Harden on the 23rd.

Magpies social on the 16th promises to be a big success.

The Canadians are to be the guests of the evening.

Granville is sure to do the honors on this occasion.

FIXTURES FOR June 7

Juveniles.

United A v Guildford, Granville Park No. 2, 2.15.

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Parramatta v Kewpies, Parramatta No. 1, 2.15.

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Juniors.

United B v Auburn Gees, 3.15.

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Lidcombe v Advance, John St., 3.15.

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All-Age.

Caledonians v Advance, Rosehill, 3.15.

Merrylands v Kewpies, Granville Park No. 1, 3.15.

E.E. v Auburn, Clyde, 1.45.

Seniors.

Babcocks v Lidcombe, Lidcombe Park, 3.15.

Advance v Parramatta, Parramatta No. 1, 3.15.

Church Section.

Mission v Thistles, Parramatta No. 3, 3.15.

St. Marks v Congs. A, Blaxcell Street, 3.15.

Baptist v Congs. B, Gees, 2 p.m.

HOLIDAY FIXTURES.

Clyde, 1.30 p.m.

Carlingford v Lidcombe.

Auburn Juniors v Lidcombe District.

Tranter, Auburn's centre half is a fine shot, and in good form. He will be making the selectors sit up and take notice shortly, and is worthy of a trial in the Metropolitan-Canadian match.

JUNIOR BOARD OF CONTROL.

The organisation of the Board is now complete, and the delegates have settled down to business.

The affiliated associations are Metropolitan Juniors, Granville, Protestant Churches, St. George, Canterbury, and Ryde; the number of teams affiliated to these associations number 183. To give readers some idea of the progress of junior football, let it be stated that in 1919 there were only about 48.

The Board has been constituted for the purposes of further fostering the juniors, and the bringing together of all controlling associations in the form of this Board is the best step taken in our history, as it will in time bring about uniformity both in rules and management. The Board hears and finally determines all appeals from Junior Associations which in the past has been thrust upon an already overburdened body in the seniors; it keeps junior matters entirely within its own sphere. The first chairman of the Board and one of the prime movers in its formation, Mr. S. A. Storey, has in consequence of the ruling given by the M.S.F.A., resigned, and at its last meeting Mr. Sam Howard was elected to the position.

Sam hails from Newcastle, and has done good work in that area where he especially championed the cause of the juniors. Those who have visited Newcastle with junior rep. teams, know the interests displayed by him in the games. Under his able guidance the Board will carry out its platform in its entirety.

The work of the Board is receiving the full support of the various bodies, and as our code grows, new associations will spring up in outlying districts, and the work of the Junior Board will do much to bring about the great expansion which we all look for.

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Metropolitan v St. George,

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Ryde v Metropolitan, Primrose Park, 3.15.

RYDE ASSOCIATION.

This Association played its fourth round on Saturday. Results were as follows:—

A Grade.

Hornsby 8 v Concord Red 0.
Gladesville 3 v West Ryde 3.
Carlingford 6 v Concord Blue 0.
Ryde 9 v Roseville 1.

C Grade.

Gladesville 1 v Drummoyne 1.
Hornsby 1 v Concord 0.
West Ryde 4 v Ryde 0.
There were no surprises in the A Grade, although Gladesville did well to hold West Ryde down to a 3-all draw.

West Ryde's defeat of Ryde in the C Grade was somewhat of a shock. The Ryde boys did well until twenty minutes from time, after which they fell to pieces.

Drummoyne are improving as evidenced by their draw with Gladesville.

All matches in this district will be suspended on Saturday owing to the rep. match Ryde District v Canterbury District. The following have been selected to represent the locals:—Goal, T. Williamson (Carlingford); backs, T. Glen (Ryde), V. Wright (West Ryde); halves, A. Fowler (West Ryde), Hansaker (Concord Blue); A. Taylor (Hornsby); forwards, G. Rose (Carlingford), A. Cook (Hornsby), W. Bellamy (Carlingford, Captain), A. McAlpine (Hornsby), J. Watkin (Hornsby). Reserves: Crawford (Concord) Bevan (Carlingford), Davidson (Concord Blues), and Martin (Carlingford).

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Ryde colors will be Dark Blue.

Before the big match a game will be played by Probable v Possible. This game will start at 1.45, and all players must report to the Association Secretary by 1.30 sharp, or their places will be filled by reserves. The teams are as follows:—

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Players of all three teams are asked to remain on the ground after the match as the team to meet the Metropolitan District on Monday, the 9th inst., will then be selected.

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Gladesville	...	3	2	0	1	4	2	5
Ryde	...	3	2	1	0	14	5	4
Drummoyne	...	4	1	2	1	2	8	3
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